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## BEFORE THE POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

MARKET DOMINANT PRODUCT PRICES
INBOUND MARKET DOMINANT MULTI-SERVICE AGREEMENTS
WITH FOREIGN POSTAL OPERATORS 1
CANADA POST CORPORATION - UNITED STATES POSTAL
SERVICE BILATERAL AGREEMENT (MC2010-35)
NEGOTIATED SERVICE AGREEMENT

Docket No. R2014-3

## NOTICE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OF FILING SUPPLEMENTAL MATERIALS FOR FUNCTIONAL EQUIVALENCE COMPARISON (November 20, 2012)

(November 20, 2013)

This notice concerns the inbound portion of a bilateral agreement with Canada Post Corporation ("Canada Post" or "CPC"), which is replacing the agreement reviewed by the Commission in PRC Docket No. R2012-5. The Postal Service filed its Notice of Type 2 Rate Adjustment and Notice of Filing Functionally Equivalent Agreement on Friday, November 15, 2013. The Postal Service now provides notice that it is filing with the Commission a table demonstrating the differences between the bilateral agreement reviewed by the Commission in Docket No. R2012-5 and the one submitted to the Commission in this docket. The chart is provided in an effort to facilitate the Commission's work of comparing the two documents for functional equivalence purposes. The table is filed with this notice as Attachment 1.

Respectfully submitted,

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| Main Document | 5                               | 13.c.                 | Added   | Parts iv-vii to the definition of "Routine Filings"  |
| Main Document | 7                               | 20(b)                 | Revised | Deleted registered mail for notices; added EMS and email as options; added email addresses to contact information  |
| Main Document | 7                               | 21                    | Updated | Specified dates for the effective date and term of the agreement   |
| Main Document | 8                               | 22                    | Updated | Specified date for the end of letter post rate obligation in the event of early termination  |
| Main Document |                                 | 26                    | Moved   | The terms of former Article 26, Customer Inquiry Support and Acceptance of Liability for Claims Respecting the Loss, Rifling, or Damage of Parcels, is now included in Attachment 10 |
| Main Document | Multiple<br>beginning<br>with 8 | 26, 27, 28, 29,<br>30 | Revised | Article numbers were renumbered as a result of moving Article 26   |
| Main Document | 9                               | 27                    | Updated | Previous bilateral identification to reflect appropriate reference document  |
| Main Document | 9                               | 28(b)                 | Revised | List of attachments to reflect current form of the agreement   |

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| Main Document | 11      | Table of<br>Contents     | Updated                 |   |
| Attachment 1  | 2       | Rate Table               | Added                   | Priority ePacket and Priority IPA ePacket ; corresponding note to table   |
| Attachment 1  | 3       | Rate Table               | Added                   | Tracked Packet Retail and Tracked Packet Commercial; corresponding note to table  |
| Attachment 1  | 5       | IBRS/IMRS<br>Rates       | Added<br>Moved<br>Added | International Merchandise Return Service (IMRS) Product definitions and settlement details for International Business Reply Service and IMRS to Attachment 9 Placeholder for IMRS rates |
| Attachment 2  | 1 and 2 | B-Letter Post            | Revised                 | Product streams covered; Measurement of On-time Delivery revised to enable changes to LATs and CTTs without formal amendment to the agreement   |
| Attachment 2  | 2       | C-EMS                    | Updated<br>Deleted      | Updated date of Pay-for-performance Plan used for reference and Deleted reference to EMS Standard Agreement   |
| Attachment 2  | 3       | C-EMS                    | Revised                 | Measurement of On-time Delivery for greater clarity and to enable changes to LATs, CETs, and offices for acceptance without formally amending the agreement                             |
| Attachment 2  | 4       | D-Air Parcel<br>Products | Revised                 | General Framework section to enable agreement to default to certain UPU practices if the agreement is silent on a particular matter, without formally amending the agreement            |

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| Attachment 2 | 4    | D-Air Parcel<br>Products | Updated            | Dates in the Measurement of Scan Performance, Basis for measurement section  |
| Attachment 2 | 4, 7 | D-Air Parcel<br>Products | Revised            | Measurement of Scan Performance, Exclusion of Return to Sender Items to provide greater description of the affected items  |
| Attachment 2 | 5, 7 | D-Air Parcel<br>Products | Revised            | Measurement of Scan Performance, Right to retransmit scan event data to provide more specific process details  |
| Attachment 2 | 5    | D-Air Parcel<br>Products | Updated            | Date in Measurement of Scan Performance, Diagnostic measurement and reporting frequency  |
| Attachment 2 | 6    | D-Air Parcel<br>Products | Revised            | Measurement of On-time Delivery, Delivery Standards and LAT/CETs to be applied to provide greater clarity for dealing with situations where delivery standards are not yet validated and when domestic delivery standards change |
| Attachment 2 | 7    | D-Air Parcel<br>Products | Revised            | Measurement of On-time Delivery, Accommodations for Force Majeure to update dates of reference documents and to provide greater clarity to the processes   |
| Attachment 2 | 8    | D-Air Parcel<br>Products | Updated<br>Revised | Dates<br>Formula   |
| Attachment 2 | 8-9  | E-PRIME                  | Added              | Product stream description consistent with Attachment 8 which was amended to the 2012-2013 bilateral during the term of the agreement  |

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| Attachment 2,<br>Appendix A | 1            | Table                   | Updated | To include entries for northbound and southbound PRIME Expres products                      |
| Attachment 4                | 8-9          | 7.3                     | Updated | CPC and USPS point of contact information for notices                                       |
| Attachment 4                | 10 and<br>11 | 9.1; Annex 1;           | Updated | Dates for Agreement in Force and Xpresspost pricing   |
| Attachment 6                | 1            | 1                       | Revised | Definition of "Confidential Information" for greater clarity                                |
| Attachment 8                | 1            | 1, 2 and 3              | Updated | Dates updated to reflect appropriate ones for the term of the 2014-2015 bilateral agreement |
| Attachment 8                | 2            | Table of<br>Differences | Updated | Dates in entry for Article 3  |
| Attachment 8                | 3            | Table of<br>Differences | Revise  | Entry for Article 10 to reflect new processes   |
| Attachment 8                | 4            | Table of<br>Differences | Update  | Dates in entry for Article 11   |
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| Attachment 8 | 4    | Table of<br>Differences | Updated | Annex 1 Definitions entry to reflect appropriate dates |
| Attachment 8 | 4    | Table of<br>Differences | Updated | Annex 2 entry title updated                            |